Campus selections in IITs and IIMs

*250. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

whether it is a fact that corporates and multi-nationals are making campus selections in IITs and IIMs, by offering attractive salaries and perks;

if so, the details of direct selection made by them during 2006 and 2007; and

the steps being taken to bring in brilliant talent into public services?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) It is a fact that multinational and Indian private sector companies recruit a substantial number of students of IITs and IIMs through campus selection.

A Statement showing the details of direct selection made by the two kinds of companies during 2006 and 2007 is given *(See* below).

Recruitment to public services is done based on all relevant considerations including the intellectual ability of the applicants.

Statement

Direct selections made by IIT and IIM during 2006 aw/2007

SI.No.	Category of the Institute and their number	Year	No. of students recruited through campus selection by	
			MNCs	Indian Private Sector Companies
1.	IITs (7)	2006	878	1371
		2007	955	I486
2.	IIMs (6)	2006	541	432
		2007	616	474

Improvement of hyd **ro-electric power generation**

†*251. SHRI BALAVANT *ALIAS* BAL APTE:
SHRI SHREEGOPAL VYAS: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

whether the share of hydel power capacity has decreased in the total power generation capacity of the country, due to shortfall in the hydel power generation;

whether the States having high potential have also failed badly in exploitation of this sector and even the initiatives of the private sector too have shown very little success; and

if so, the details of steps and measures Government proposes to take to improve hydel power generation in the country?

†Origmal notice of the question was received in Hindi.